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May the best man win.
The Cochise County Democratic resolutions have the proper ring and meets the sentiments of the people.

The goldbug crew have decidedly rough sailing in Arizona this fall. They will be swamped on Nov. 8th.

This issue in this campaign is the silver question; there is no disguising the matter. A vote for Brodie is an endorsement of the republican platform for gold.

The Democrats are into the arena, the Republicans will be tomorrow and the Pops will mix in by Wednesday. Out of the array the voter should have no trouble to make a good selection.

Out of 229 votes in Tombstone only 28 of them went for Doran last election. Col. Brodie who is running on the same goldbug platform will know what to expect.

Says William J. Bryan: "Keep the silver issue at the front until it is settled." That will be the slogan in Arizona. It cannot, it will not be silenced, by any subterfuge or false issue.

ARIZONA does not want to send the impression abroad that silver Arizona has turned her back on her chief industry. We are for silver first, last, and all the time and Cochise county will do her share to stowing under the goldbug candidate for delegate to congress.

It would be a most humiliating spectacle for the great silver producing territory of Arizona to send a goldbug delegate to congress. Fortunately the people outnumber the politicians of Arizona and Col. Wilson will be the people's choice. Cochise county will do her share and we expect to see the rest of the territory fall in line.

Opinion of an Eminent Jurist.
Ballot reform in New York was necessary, says an eminent jurist, because mere politicians by trade, who had no interest in government or politics, except to enrich and aggrandize themselves, sought perpetual control. There are other excellent reforms besides that of the ballot. Conspicuous among is the reform in a disordered physical system by Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which counteracts tendencies to serious disease by a deficiency of vital stamina, irregularity of the bowels, stomach liver or kidneys, and inactivity of the nerves. This sterling medicine, which has for near half a century won popular favor, not only for its excellent qualities in a remedial capacity, but also for its serviceable properties as a medicinal stimulant.

SAN PEDRO ROUND-UP.
All members attending the round-up will meet at Curry's ranch on Oct. 19th. The start will be made at Charleston on 29th, working up the San Pedro to the line around the Hualacaba to the Fort. General invitation to gentlemen interested is extended.

BENSON ROUND-UP.
The Benson round-up will commence on Sept. 20 and work in two sections, one outfit to start at Bohn's ranch and to work up the river and the other to start at Fairbank and work down the river until both outfits meet. Then the lower outfit will work on the east side of the river by the way of John Lyon's, Allen Flat, Johnson and Russellville. The upper outfit will start at Maroon Pacho canyon and work around the north and east slope of the Whetstone mountains and French Joe Canon, and then cross over to Tombstone and work around the south and west side of the Dragon mountains until the two sections again meet. Fred Treu was elected captain for the lower work and John Dunbar was made captain for the upper work.

H. W. Eitz, Sec'y, pro tem.

SULPHUR SPRING VALLEY RODEO.
The Sulphur Springs Valley round-up will commence on September 2d at Hot Springs and work through to McCumb's under Mr. E. Marion, captain; thence to the JH ranch by Mr. J. E. Cook, captain; thence run through to Stallings and Scott's by Mr. Fred Scott, captain. All hands must meet on night of Sept. 1. (Signed) J. B. PARKS, WM. STEED.

BISBEE JOINTINGS

BISBEE, October 9, 1898.
COPPERINGS.

Forty-three delegates, among whom was distributed proxies, occupied seats in yesterday's Democratic convention. Dr. F. A. Sweet called the convention to order at 10:30 a. m. Col. Michael Gray of Pearce, was unanimously chosen temporary chairman, and Stephen Romer of Benson, temporary secretary. The chairman appointed, on Tevis' motion, Tevis, Merrill, Riggs, Howe and Garrison as committee on credentials. Recess taken. Report of committee adopted. Motion of Sweet, chairman appointed on committee permanent organization: McKay, McPherson, Cox, Greene and Delehanty. Chairman appointed as committee on platform and resolutions: Sweet, Douglas, McCormick, Walker and Ez. Vote of thanks tendered to Ben Williams for concession in returning delegates over A. & S. E. railway free. Adjourned to 1 p. m. Reconvened at 2 p. m. Committee on organization reported that temporary officers be made permanent and named order of business. Motion Tevis reports of previously mentioned committees be adopted and committees discharged. Carried. Committee on platform and resolutions offered following report:

The Democratic party of Cochise County heartily joins the democracy of the entire country and all friends of the free and unlimited coinage of silver in re-affirming allegiance to the principles set forth in the platform adopted by the Democratic National Convention of 1896. We also endorse the platform adopted by the Democratic Territorial Convention September 16, 1898. We approve and endorse the policy of our present representative in Congress, the Hon. Marcus A. Smith, whose ability has gained for him an eminence in the councils of the nation never attained by any other delegate from our territory. We pledge our support to the present standard bearer of the Arizona democracy, and believing that only a silver man can truly represent the sentiment of the people of this territory, we urge all believers in the double monetary standard to unite in electing to congress that fearless and unchanging advocate of free silver and the people's rights—Col. John F. Wilson. We feel inexpressible gratitude to the brave soldiers and sailors who have won such unparalleled victories for our flag, for freedom and for civilization and profit with especial pride to the record of the volunteers from Arizona. We are opposed to the removal of any territorial public institutions or the division of any county by act of the territorial legislature. We believe in the strictest economy in the conduct of our county government and in the employment of every honorable means to reduce the rate of taxation now imposed on the people.

Motion report was adopted and committee discharged. Tevis named Scott White of Tombstone, for re-nomination as sheriff. Made unanimous amid cheers. McPherson named A. Westworth of Tombstone for re-nomination for treasurer. Made unanimous. For district attorney, Conlon named E. W. Land of Bisbee; Tevis nominated C. S. Clark of Tombstone; McCormick named A. K. English of Tombstone. Here discussion arose as to method of voting, Greene favoring ballot, Sweet by open vote, on roll call Sweet's methods was decided upon. Ballot resulted in 31 for Land and on McKay's motion the nomination made unanimous. S. C. Perrin of Bisbee, was named by Sweet for probate judge. On Greene's motion made unanimous. Soble named Alex S. Kier (the "Rough Rider") of Bisbee, for recorder; Merrill nominated Frank Hare. Ballot resulted, Hare 41, Kier 17. On Greene's motion made unanimous. Sweet nominated F. M. M. Kay of Bisbee, for assessor. Made unanimous. McKay expressed thanks. Sweet nominated M. C. Benton, of Bisbee, for supervisor; Greene named J. H. McPherson; Ed. Brown nominated B. Riggs Sr. of Bowie. A recess was taken after which McPherson withdrew. Fullgum nominated Robt. Barr of Turkey Track and Bisbee. Barr declined. Tevis moved nomination of Riggs and Benton be made unanimous. Carried. For council, Merrill nominated M. J. Scribner of Tombstone; Tevis nominated M. Gray, who declined; Conlon nominated H. W. Ez, latter declining. McKay moved Scribner be made choice. Carried. Assembly—Merrill nominated H. W. Ez; Conlon nominated James Cox, who declined;

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Irwin nominated B. J. O'Reilly of Bisbee; Riggs named M. Gray; Merrill nominated J. H. Tevis. Ballot: Ez 57, Riggs 52, Tevis 38, O'Reilly 31. Sweet's motion to make unanimous the nomination of first three, Carried. Chairman appointed Sweet, Greene and Merrill a committee to name the central committee for the county.

The precinct tickets were left for the delegates of each precinct to select. Bisbee delegates will name justices and constables on Monday evening. There is quite a scramble for these officers, democratic and otherwise.

BISBEE, October 10, 1898.
COPPERINGS.

Fireman's ball on Wednesday.

I. O. O. F. meeting Wednesday evening.

Pay-day and not much money on hand about town.

Tim Griffith will go to Tucson as a juror, on Tuesday.

O. H. Briggs, the cattleman, has returned from Texas.

Precinct ticket of the democrats to be filled this evening.

Twenty-five desks added to the school rooms of the Bisbee public school.

Capt. Tevis said while here that he has been in Cochise Co. 41 years.

Miss Mary Tack is about to build a lodging house east of the Richelieu.

Fresh invoices knights of green cloth on hand to deal out to the boys.

Col. Land was pleased with the work of the convention on Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. Clark leave Tuesday evening for Prescott where they will locate.

Fred Coleman and Fred Johnson left for a prospecting tour in the Dragoons.

Dick Hartman and Doc Farrington were seen in close conference this morning. Something's up.

Geo. J. Raskrue is to return from Tucson to do some surveying for the Copper Queen Co. about Oct. 20.

Sid Harris, Sid Mullen, Al Brockman and Billy Nelson pulled in this morning after two weeks trip to the Sierra Madre.

The big bull dog of the Palace stable is an unknown quantity and the stable boys are after the man who stole that pup.

The saloon men are wearing a pleasant smile. Three conventions and a pay day within a week is sure to make 'em feel good.

Pete Johnson, agent S. B. Copper Co., came in Sunday and left this afternoon for Tombstone via the Mule mountain road.

J. B. Wright of Asst Supt. Harvey's office, has gone to Fairbanks to relieve Agent Heath, who has been granted leave of absence.

Rev. D. Roberts the new Methodist minister, preached last evening in Rev. Fritchard's pulpit. He will endeavor to build a church here.

Gus Huber and Otto Giesenhofers told of their early doings 18 years ago in Cochise, after introducing Gus as a late arrival from the fatherland.

Joe McCabe will be put on the "unfinished" ticket of the People's Party, Joe having advised the committee of his coming and acceptance.

Judge Robinson and wife formerly of Tombstone in early days, are visitors from California and may remain here, the guest of their daughter Mrs. J. J. Patton.

Recent arrivals are Hon. H. C. Herick, Wm. Shilliam, W. A. Harwood, Johnny Quinn the tailor-madman, W. T. Carrillo from Tucson, who

is on same lay.
"You fellows may talk all the politics you want to, but I've got a good new republican voter at home just arrived," an' after uttering these words C. L. Beckwith "said something," and several heard it.

Senator Frank T. Aspinwall formerly of Winslow is here from Los Angeles. He took in the Democratic convention, tomorrow the R. publican. The Senator wants to see the board of control abolished. He is over head and heels in love with McCord (T). Goes out Tuesday evening to he couldn't say where.

When "Rough Rider" Tom Wiggins appeared on the platform of his car, Wm. Shilliam introduced the arrival. Tom said, "Gentlemen, I am for my country first, Tom Wiggins afterwards." Then Shilliam said, "The Arizona Republicans will take care of the 'Rough Riders.' Evidently Shilliam has heard of Kier's bad luck before Saturday's convention. Postmaster Fritchard drove Wiggins to Engineer Fitch's home where the "Rough Rider" breakfasted. Coming down town with Fitch, Wiggins went into Justice Williams' and registered as Th. mas Walter Wiggins aged 30 years and 6 months. Tom, in answer to a question put by your correspondent, said he was in the hands of the Republican convention and didn't know what would be given him. Wiggins who is carrying a Spanish bullet in his hip, was a patient at Key West since July 5, so he said.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Official Proceedings of the Last Meeting.

TOMBSTONE, Oct. 6, 1898.
2 p. m.

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Same member present.

Absent Thos. Allaire.

Petition of C. L. Ainsworth to be road overseer of Pearce district—Deferred.

The following bills were audited and allowed.

C. L. Ainsworth, constable at Pearce disallowed \$3 25 allowed.....\$185 75

A. H. Emanuel, clerk district court, disallowed \$1.00 allowed.....378 25

H. B. Strauss, interpreting at Bisbee, disallowed \$6.00 allowed.....96 00

Nick Angus, scavenger at Bisbee.....40 00

W. T. Showers, constable at Benson.....119 60

W. D. Monmonier, justice at Pearce.....59 70

of which \$1.05 to be deducted for school fund.

N. Yagle, drugs for 3rd quarter 1898, disallowed \$19.13 allowed.....41 87

S. K. Williams, justice fees Bisbee disallowed \$1.00 allowed.....582 40

S. M. Barrow, supplies for jail S. C. Perrin, justice fees Bisbee.....54 95

T. J. Barker, team hire Bisbee disallowed \$15.00 allowed.....10 00

Dr. C. L. Edmunds, autopsy Bisbee.....10 00

E. L. Shaw, justice fees Powie Of which \$10.00 to be deducted for school fund.

William Hattich, county printing.....126 56

W. F. Bradley, salary Probate judge 3rd quarter 1897.....300 00

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J. C. Page, salary jail guard for county jail.....75 00

Governor's proclamation calling for a general election to be held November 8th, 1898 for the election of on delegates to the 56 congress, and for legislative, county and precinct officers for the term commencing January 1st 1899, ordered published for ten days.

Report of clerk of the board of supervisors of incidental fund checked, correct, warrant ordered drawn for \$50.00 for incidentals for county officers.

Report of William Hughes, road overseer Bisbee road district received and found to be correct and ordered placed on file.

At 4 p. m. board stands adjourned to 10 a. m. Oct 7th 1898.

Attest:
M. J. Brown, Clerk.
JOHN MONTGOMERY, Approved
JAMES F. DUNCAN, Chairman.
D.puty Clerk.

The members of the Ladies Aid are invited to an informal meeting at the residence of Mrs. Scott White, Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

C. N. Thomas H. McCormick B. Hatfield and Jas. Marr have gone to Tucson to attend the U. S. court as grand jurors.

Quite a delegation of Tombstone Republican delegates left this afternoon for Bisbee going overland in one of Montgomery's best.

All of the Tombstone delegates to the Democratic convention have returned home. They are of the opinion that the ticket is a sure winner.

Geo. H. Fitts wired Probate Judge Bradley that he would leave New York on the 14th to be on hand at a hearing of a probate case in which he is interested.

Attorney E. W. Land is slowly improving but not yet able to run a foot race. He is anxious to get out of his sick chamber to look after his political fences.

Hon. Charles R. Drake, Chairman of the republican territorial committee, writes the Oasis:

"I will go to Phoenix on the 6th, and I expect to go from there to meet Col. Brodie, whom we expect to reach the Territory about the 10th. It is my intention to open the campaign on the line of the A. & P. at Holbrook with Col. Brodie, going west along the line of that railroad to Williams thence south to Prescott and Phoenix to the line of the Southern Pacific, thence west to Yuma, thence Tucson, thence Nogales and Bisbee, Tombstone, Benson and Wilcox if possible; then to Pearce, then to Bowie, up the Gila Valley Road through S. J. Jomonsville to Globe, thence back to Chilton and Morenci and wind up with a grand rally at Tucson and Phoenix."


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